

**Heritage CRC**

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SUNDAY WORSHIP  
@ 9:30 AM (Nursery provided)  
SUNDAY EVENING @ 5:00 PM

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:  
Wednesday at noon. Call,  
leave a note, or e-mail to  
churchoffice@heritagecrc.org.

OFFICE HOURS:  
Wednesday : 8:00 am—2 pm  
Thursday : 8:00 am—Noon

**Volunteer Schedule...**

**NURSERY:** June 5: Pat Schewe & Evie Wenke  
June 12: Ellen Byle & Glen Wagner

**COFFEE SERVERS:** June 5: Glen & Ruth Wagner, Donna Penning, Dick & Nadine Van-Dam June 12/19: John & Kim Bruinwood, Herm & Gretchen Vanders, Gary & Dorothy Broekhuizen

**HEARTLAND HEALTHCARE CENTER**  
(Services begin at 3:30 pm & last approximately 30 minutes)

June 5: Harold Triezenberg  
June 12: Bill Vroegop & Phyllis Triezenberg

**PRAYER LINE MINISTRY:** Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

**PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY:** prayerline@heritagecrc.org

**SERVICE MINISTRY:** June: Gretchen Vanders

**MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:** June 5: Lisa Durian June 12: Pat Schewe  
PM: Gary Broekhuizen

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 <b>COMMUNION</b> 9:30 am Pastor Simon "A Healthy Church" 1 Thessalonians 5:12-28 5 pm Pastor Simon "Christ: The Fulfillment of the Law" Matthew 5:17-20	6	7 Administrative Board Meeting 7 pm	8	9	10	11 Breakout Breakfast Fundraiser 8-10 am
12 9:30 am Rev. Henry DeVries "Comparisons for God" Isaiah 40:18-25 5 pm Pastor Ron Lugten	13	14 Kalamazoo Classis Prayer Meeting 7 am	15 P.U.S.H. Prayer Meeting 7 pm	16	17	18
19 9:30 am Rev. Fritz Kruithof "Freedom in Christ: Freedom to Live" Galatians 1:1-5 5 pm Rev. Bill Fernhout	20	21	22 Book Club 2 pm	23	24	25 Food Giveaway Prairie Ridge Elementary 8 am set up 9 am food drop
26 9:30 am Pastor Simon "The Pursuit of God" Psalm 27 5 pm Pastor Simon "Christ: Our Great Intercessor" Hebrews 4:14-16	27	28 Shepherding Elders Meeting 3 pm	29	30	1 	2



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**Impact Kalamazoo**

- This summer Heritage Youth will once again be attending Impact Kalamazoo. Our students will be serving the community and sharing the gospel across the city of Kalamazoo. This summer Impact is looking for work site leaders. If you have some construction trades knowledge and are will to donate your time during the week of July 1-15, please contact Dave Ericks.
- Impact will also be seeking food donations for student's lunches. Items needed will be listed next week.

**Celebrations**

**Birthdays**

Angie Schippers ~ June 5 ~ 89 years young!  
Jack Bruinwood ~ June 8  
Barb Nieboer ~ June 8  
Evie Wenke ~ June 9

**Anniversaries**

Ken & Ellen Byle ~ June 10 ~ 52 years!  
Bruce & Ruth Fletcher ~ June 10 ~ 56 years!

**Welcome New Members!** At the recent meeting of the Shepherding Elders the membership of Will & Gert Nieboer from Gun Lake Community Church (RCA) was received. Welcome to our fellowship at Heritage Church!

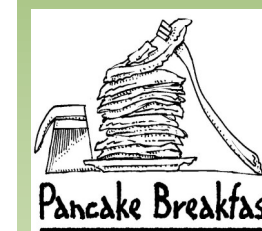
Will & Gert Nieboer  
3437 Winter Wheat Road  
Kalamazoo, MI 49004  
269-459-9190



**Let them eat cake!!!** Today during our Fellowship time after the morning worship, cake will be served in honor of Norm & Bonnie Langeland's 50th Anniversary which was on June 2!! Happy 50th Norm & Bonnie!

**Ministry**

The **BLESS Group** will be back in action starting next Sunday, June 12. If you can help during the Bless Story time or provide cookies for a session in the month of June, please sign up at the table in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Gretchen Vanders.



**Breakout Fundraiser Breakfast** will take place on Saturday, June 11 from 8-10 am in our Fellowship Hall. Please support the Youth Group while enjoying delicious pancakes, sausage, fruit, juice and coffee.

**Thank you**

Thank you for all the expressions of sympathy, cards, prayers and visits during the homegoing of Harold's brother, John. We are blessed to have such a loving church family.

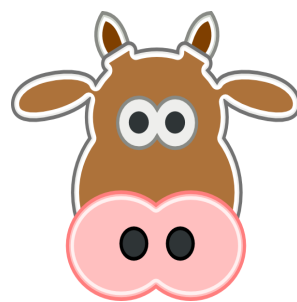
**Harold & Phyllis Triezenberg**

Thank you for your prayers as I waited for the echocardiogram test results. I am grateful to God for His care and to hear that the test results show no heart murmur.

**Dean Troyer**

Because of you, Heritage, we were able to send the Bible League International \$300 to assist in providing God's Word to the people of Africa in their own language.

**Thank you!**



**Our Adopt-a-Cow project** needs your help! There are still 6 months open! You can sign up at the display in the Narthex for a week (\$40.00) or a month (\$160.00) or somewhere in between!

**Wanted: PICKY PEOPLE!** Tired of all those summer reruns? Looking for opportunities to get out and enjoy the beautiful Michigan weather? Here is the chance you have been waiting for! No sign up sheets, no long term obligations, just a chance to help beautify the church property. Come out on your schedule, bring a bucket or a bag, pull some weeds (green or brown) from around the church, the parking lot, or the islands. The weeds can be dumped in the woods along the south side of the parking lot. Your help is really appreciated!

**Ladies:** it is that time of year again! Time to spend a day at Selkirk Lake on Tuesday, June 14. We plan to carpool from church at 11 am. Please bring a lawn chair and if able, a dish to pass. If you plan on attending this day away, please sign up at the table in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Betty Vlietstra.



**Jesus Loves Kalamazoo!** The JLK Catalyst week is planned for July 9-16, 2016! JLK started in 2008 and has grown to become a movement that unites the Body of Christ in Kalamazoo to share the love of Jesus to our community. This will be our 3rd year participating in JLK but this year we are not serving as the host coordinators for a site. Instead, we are encouraging our members to sign up to volunteer and serve at a designated Prayer & Grill Sites. Go to <http://jesusloveskzoo.org/> to fill out a volunteer registration form. They are also accepting donations to support this ministry effort. This can also be done online or check out the printed list available in the lobby. Please join us in praying for this opportunity and consider where God might be calling you to get involved.

## Missions & Missionaries...

Loaves & Fishes wish list:  
**June:** Healthy snacks: granola bars, fruit snacks, trail mix & string cheese  
*Please place your donations in the grocery cart in the fellowship hall*

## Emails or Letters to Missionaries...

Norm & Bonnie Langeland ~ Jerry An  
 Rick & Donna Lingbeek ~ David Heath  
 Dean & Esther Manni ~ Joseph Mutebi  
*If you do not have a copy of our missionaries' email addresses, both their most current newsletter and email addresses are on the Missionary table next to the mailboxes*

## Offering Schedule

June 5 General Fund: Christian Education  
 Loose Change: Jesus Loves Kzoo  
 June 12 General Fund: Ministry Shares  
 Loose Change: Luke Society  
 June 19 General Fund: Faith Promise  
 Loose Change: Dordt College  
 June 26 General Fund: Building Fund  
 Loose Change: Wycliffe Bible Trans

## Offerings (for May 29)

Benevolence Fund ~ \$15.00  
 Building Fund ~ \$65.00  
 Christian Education Endowment ~ \$25.00  
 Faith Alive Resources ~ \$35.00  
 Faith Promise ~ \$150.00  
 General Fund ~ \$3,520.00  
 Kalamazoo Deacons Conference ~ \$218.00  
 Ministry Shares ~ \$135.00  
 Miscellaneous income ~ \$148.82  
 Rental Income ~ \$50.00



## Requested Announcements

**Detroit Tiger Game**—June 23, 2016: The Kalamazoo Christian High School Alumni Association will be sponsoring their 15th annual trip to Comerica Park to see the Detroit Tigers in action against the Seattle Mariners on June 23, 2016. The game will take place in the afternoon at 1:08 pm. Charter buses will leave Kalamazoo Christian High School parking lot at 8:30 am. Tickets are \$70. Please call Connie VanDerSlik at 269-381-2044 or email at [cvanderslik@kcsa.org](mailto:cvanderslik@kcsa.org) to reserve your ticket. Don't delay! Put your reservations in today!

**Join our Community!** Second Impressions is a community of volunteers, supporting a community of parents and the next generation. We have several immediate Summer needs:

- Every-other Wednesday and Thursday 4-7 pm (Cashier & Furniture Sales)
- Thursdays 1-4 pm (Back-door Receiving)
- Thursdays in July 1-4 pm (Furniture Sales)
- Saturdays 10-1 or 1-4 (Cashier, Furniture dept and Back door)
- Learn more about volunteering, call Patty at 345-7757.



## 40 Words turning 40...

Here a few words that first appeared in the Oxford English Dictionary in 1976, according to MentalFloss.com:



- \* Boomer, a shortened version of "baby boomer."
- \* Chicken Nugget, which originated in a 1976 ad for Troy's Fish House in Jackson, Missouri.
- \* PIN, which stands for "personal identification number."
- \* The zone, meaning "a state of perfect concentration leading to optimum mental or physical performance."
- \* Adrenaline junkie, referring to a person who has "a compulsive desire for extreme excitement."
- \* Jazzercise, a blend of "jazz" and "exercise".
- \* Exit poll, "a poll asking individually how people leaving a polling station have voted."
- \* Download, "to copy data from one computer to another device."
- \* Buckle up, which entered the dictionary around the time seat belts were first widely used.
- \* Edgy, meaning "cutting edge."

## Update from the office...

- \* Pastor Simon will be in Grand Rapids for Synod starting Thursday, June 9 through Friday, June 17.
- \* Sue will be on vacation June 20-24. Therefore, there will be no newsletter on Sunday, June 26 so please plan your announcements accordingly.
- \* Sue's summer hours will start on Wednesday, June 8: Wednesday & Thursdays 7:30 am ~ 12:30 am.

